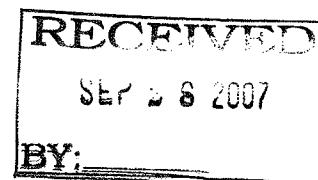




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Dear Mr. Leavitt:

The Federal Highway Administration has reviewed the Draft Bay Area to Central Valley High-Speed Train Program Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement (EIR/EIS), dated July 2007. Giving the preliminary stage of this environmental analysis, we have no comments on this Draft Program EIR/EIS.

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We very much appreciate the opportunity to review the document. We look forward to working with you on the project-level design and environmental evaluation of the high-speed train. If you have any questions, please call Dominic Hoang at (916) 498-5002.

Sincerely,

For
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